The Weather

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday.

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DRIVING HOME THE COWS.

A PASTORAL SCENE—IF THE STANDARD OIL IDEA OF PETROLEUM BUTTER PROVES A SUCCESS.

East Liverpool Destination Of Many Salem Business Men

Salem business men formed a party of about 80 that left the city about 12 o'clock Wednesday for East Liverpool, where, in company with the business men of Lisbon, they are to be guests of the East Liverpool Business association in the afternoon and evening.

The special Y. & O. R. car, decked out in two large streamers bearing the words, "Salem Business Association," and carrying the majority of the crowd, got away about 15 minutes after the regular 12 o'clock car had left the local station. Some 16 or 20 members boarded the regular car and the special was well filled with the remainder.

Mayor Al Carlile, who had been requested by the Business association to participate in the outing, was on hand when the special pulled out. Each member of the party wore a neat pink badge, bearing the words, "Business Association of Salem," and with each one tagged in this manner there seemed to be no danger of any of them getting lost or strayed. With the splendid program of events before them, the Salem men appeared to be in the best of spirits.

Lisbon, July 14.—At noon today the Lisbon delegation of board of trade members, each one wearing a neat badge of white ribbon with the words, "Lisbon Board of Trade" printed thereon and carrying a cane, headed by a standard bearer carrying the board of trade pennant and led by Arter's band, left the public square and marched to the Y. & O. R. station to take the car for East Liverpool. There were exactly 100 men in line, counting the band, and they made a fine appearance as they marched through the streets.

CASES BEFORE PARDON BOARD

Columbus, July 14.—Three important cases will be before the state pardon board Thursday. The case of Romulus Cottell, who murdered several members of the Stone family, of near Akron, which was rejected at the last meeting of the board, will be reopened. Jay A. Cottell, an employe of the Marshall Field company, of Chicago, who is a brother of the applicant, will be present and it is largely at his request that the case is being taken up again. He did not know that the action of the board at the preceeding meeting would be final and for that reason he did not come here before. Judge R. M. Wanamaker, of Akron, who was prosecuting attorney when Cottell was tried and who had charge of the case, will appear on behalf of the survivors of the family and protest against Cottell's release. Cottell's chances of getting out look very slim.

Former Attorney General Frank S. Monnett will appear and urge a pardon for Jesse McGregor, of Columbiana county, sent up for life for the murder of a woman named Liz Ewing, whose body was found buried in the yard in the rear of her residence. McGregor was pardoned by Governor Bushnell on condition that he abstain from the use of liquor, but he did not keep this requirement and he was returned to the penitentiary nine years ago. He was released under a similar agreement by Governor Herrick just before he retired from office but he was unable to stay away from liquor and he was back in the penitentiary again within a year. His home is in Wellsville, where the crime was committed.

The third important case is that of Owsie Hayslip, serving a life term from Adams county for the murder of Alfred Fisher, said to have been a model young man. Strong protests have been filed against the granting of clemency to any of these men.

There are a large number of other cases to be considered by the board.

Eighth Well Completed

Lisbon, July 14.—The Clinton Oil and Gas company having completed its eighth well in the Dungannon territory, on the Lindesmith farm, which proved to be a good producing gasser, today moved its drilling outfit to the W. L. Fife property, near Dungannon. The company now has six producing wells in that territory and has strong hopes of adding to that number with the new well which will be sunk on the Fife farm.

BALL TEAM OUTING WAS OH! SO LOVELY

The members of the Salem baseball team, under the chaperonage of John Ackerman Mounts, enjoyed a specially conducted tour to the home of Sam Shopfer, near Winona, Tuesday, and under the personal supervision of the talented and accomplished Ack, enjoyed an outing, the memory of which time cannot wither or years stale.

The party walked but no one got their base on balls, and on reaching the country home of Mr. Shopfer, they were treated to a fine country dinner. In the afternoon music was the order of the day, Hagedorn and Finke rendering some beautiful melodies in their own inimitable way. Ack said it was classical music, not by a mill-site. Cherry picking was then successfully entered into by some of the braver boys, but fortunately all came out of the dangerous pastime unscathed.

Festive chipmunks and shy groundhogs were chased gleefully about the greensward and through the shady glens, under the instructions of Ack, who knows all about farms and such things and how it feels to be kicked by a cow. When they tired of this sport, he led the boys to the "old swimming hole." On the way, a bright red gentleman cow took a fancy to Finke, who was so horrified at the creature's lack of etiquette that he went through a picket fence without stopping to look for the gate, and left parts of his clothes and epidermis on the wrecked barrier.

Into water four feet deep, in some places, the outers plunged to witness thrilling high dives by the expert Langenhan, who is a regular fish at such pastimes. There is no report as to whether anyone had to "chew beef" before getting dressed or not, but all in all the day was happily spent and the members of the team passed a vote of thanks to their hosts and presented a beautiful $85 silver stein to Pilot Ack, with the inscription, "In hoc redeem me."

John Somogy, the press works machinist, who mysteriously disappeared, returned to his family in Niles unannounced.

GOTTSCHALK FOR CHIEF

Other Appointments Are Ready To be Made

SEVERAL SURPRISES

Municipal Plum Tree Bumped by Mayor Carlile and the Fruit Will Soon be Officially Distributed Among the Lucky.

The exclusive bull's-eye story in Tuesday evening's News of the appointment of George Hack as director of safety and a few other little political items stirred up a great deal of interest and some pawing of the earth among politicians at various points of the compass, and while the prophecy anent the offices of waterworks superintendent and service director being placed in the hands of one man proved but partly true, the story added quite a little ginger to the previous quietness of the campaign.

The story was instrumental in eliciting some further information equally interesting and of such a semi-official nature that it may be stated with certainty that the approaching political appointments to be made by the city administration will be as follows:

Chief of police, Joseph Gottschalk.

Director of service and street commissioner, Frank L. Rollins.

Director of safety, George Hack.

Superintendent waterworks, George Wells.

That these announcements will be received with leaden hearts by the unsuccessful candidates goes without saying, for unless some cataclysm of sudden and terrific unexpectedness should cause Mayor Carlile to change his present slate, the offices will be filled as named above. For weeks, and in some cases, months, strings have been pulled, private conferences held behind closed doors and many conversations held in the promulgation of aspiring candidates' hopes, and now that he lottery wheel has been opened and the lucky numbers drawn out for a private look, the appointments are decided as near definitely as may be without the official bulletin being posted.

No less than three were hoping for the chiefship, Officers Calladine and Cook, of the force, undoubtedly being in a receptive mood, the former being particularly justified in any hope he may have had, owing to his more than 11 years of service on the local force. While there were probably not so many active candidates for the offices of service and safety directors as for the waterworks superintendent, saveral had their eyes on the positions, while no less than eight or 10 looked soulfully at the place to become vacant with the passing of A. R. Dow, when the city takes charge of the water plant.

With these appointments only awaiting final and official public announcement, the local political campaign will undoubtedly now warm up as the date of election draws nearer.

NEW TRIAL REFUSED IN THE SHRIVER CASE

Lisbon, July 14.—In the case of Ohio vs. Shriver, Judge Farr Tuesday evening overruled a motion for a new trial which had been made by the defendant's attorney, K. L. Cobourn. In this case, Shriver, who is the proprietor of the Hotel Shriver at Salem, was arrested charged with keeping a place where liquor was sold and after a trial before Judge Farr he was found guilty. His attorney at once made a motion for a new trial, which was overruled, as stated.

SEVERAL CONTRACTORS WANT ROAD GRADING JOBS

Lisbon, July 14.—Next Monday at 1 o'clock, the county commissioners will hold a public letting in their office in the court house on three grading contracts in the western part of the county. The contracts consist of the grading of the Dutton and Reeder hills in Hanover township and the Mizner hill in Butler township. A large number of inquiries have already been received from interested contractors, who wish to learn the method of the bidding and what form it will take. The fact that the bidding will be public will add greatly to the interest in the matter and judging from past experiences there will be a large number present to try to land the contracts.

Weston Completes His 4000 Mile Walk

Suffering from the intense heat of the Sacramento valley, Edward Payson Weston was expected to cover the last 10 miles of his trans-continental pedestrian trip and enter San Francisco Wednesday afternoon.

He was two days behind his schedule but was undismayed at not having made the trip in 100 days, as he had hoped. He is looking well and declares that he is ready to make the return trip at once, if necessary. His plan is to return by rail, delivering lectures along the route.

He passed through Davis, 15 miles west of Sacramento, a little after midnight Tuesday morning and on reaching Dixon, 10 miles further west, rested for an hour. Later, he stopped in Elmire for a short rest before starting on the final home stretch into San Francisco.

BAND MEMBERS MEET WITH S.B.A

A committee from the Quaker City band was present at the regular meeting of the Salem Business association Tuesday evening to bring up for consideration the possible future of the musical organization, and a committee was appointed by the association to meet with the band representatives on Friday night.

At that time there will probably be some plans discussed for the promulgation of public band concerts during the summer months for the edification of the citizens. Mayor Carlile has long advocated band concerts in Centennial park, but as the financial condition of the city recently has been such as to prevent the carrying out of this plan, it had to be abandoned. It is to be hoped, however, that the conference between the two committees will prove instrumental in bringing about some means for public music.

VON BUELOW RESIGNS; SUCCESSOR APPOINTED

Berlin, July 14.—(Special.)—Prince Henry Von Buelow, chancellor of the German Empire, handed his formal resignation to Emperor William this morning. Following the resignation the Emperor named Doctor Von Bethman-Holweg, present vice chancellor and secretary of state, to succeed Von Buelow. The resignation was tendered in the imperial audience room where he had so often dictated the policies of the empire. As he handed to the Emperor his resignation and the statement of the political situation of the empire, Von Buelow, with tears streaming down his cheeks, repudiated the political charges which have been made against him by his opponents.

The Emperor, impressive in a full field marshal's uniform, broke through the walls of regal convention which thus far marked the audience and, grasping the retiring chancellor by the hand, exclaimed: "Bernhard, you have always served me well and faithfully; you and I will always remain friends."

THROWN INTO ENGINE AND SEVERELY BRUISED

Mrs. O. E. Whinnery, of the Franklin road, is recovering from serious bruises she sustained Monday by being thrown into the wheel of a gasoline engine when her clothing caught in the engine. Her clothing was torn off and she was badly bruised about the body. It was first thought her leg had been broken but it developed that the limb had been badly bruised. The injury is now considerably better.

EDWARD PAYSON WESTON

The 70-Year-old Pedestrian Who Completed His Cross-Continent Walk to San Francisco Wednesday.

BIG DOINGS AT ELKS GRAND LODGE

Los Angeles, Cal., July 14.—The first session of the grand lodge of Elks was held last night in the Auditorium theater. Nearly 1,500 members were in attendance and balloting for new officers of the grand lodge. The contest for the office of grand exalted ruler has been a spirited one. The count will not be completed and announced until late today.

Yesterday was Santa Monica day on the program and thousands of visitors went to that beach resort, where sports, an ocean regetta and a band concert were provided for their entertainment. Later a band concert and an exhibition drill by numerous drill corps were given at Ascot park in Los Angeles. The theaters of the city were thrown open to the visitors last night.

Today the visitors will be entertained at Long Beach. Every state in the Union is represented among the 50,000 Elks now in Los Angeles. It is estimated that altogether the event has attracted 70,000 visitors to the city.

The next grand lodge meeting will be held in Detroit, Mich.

The 15-year-old son of Joseph Schrader, an automobile agent in Mascillon, nearly lost his eyesight and was seriously burned about his face an head by the explosion of an automobile at his father's garage.

SELECTING QUARTERS FOR AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL HERE

C. R. Titlow, of the Ohio State university, Columbus, arrived in Salem Tuesday evening and in company with E. H. Campbell Wednesday morning visited a number of available rooms in Salem which may be secured for use when the one week term of agricultural instruction is given in Salem next winter under direction of the state university.

Mr. Titlow was well satisfied with the available rooms and will make his report to the authorities in Columbus, after which arrangements will be made for the school here and the dates selected. It is probable that the school will be conducted about the last week in November or the first week in December, which is thought to be a very satisfactory time for the project. Efforts will be made to secure not less than 50 pupils, although not more than a hundred are wanted. It is desired, said Mr. Titlow, that all who attend do so regularly all week and come prepared for work, for the school will be conducted as nearly like the regular course of work in the agricultural college at Columbus as possible. In order that those who might attend merely out of curiosity may be eliminated he said that the university very much preferred that a small tuition fee, of not more than a dollar, be charged pupils. This was not the original intention, as the Andalusia Dairy Co., of this city, had offered to take care of the expense. However, this matter will be considered later.

Especial attention will be given to the course in domestic science for the benefit of the farmers' wives and daughters and a special room for this class will be provided. It is believed that from 60 to 75 pupils may be secured in this county for the school, as there is no age limit, the only requirement being that those who attend must be engaged in some branch of farming.

TRUSTED FARM HAND MISSING

Cash to Amount of $175 Also Gone

LEFT A NEIGHBOR'S RIG

Williams, the Man Wanted, Came From Pennsylvania in the Spring—Seemed Steady and Honest—Police Asked to Help Locate Him.

Lisbon, July 14.—John Williams, a farm hand who had been employed on the farm of Mrs. Mary Allison, of Madison township, was sent by her to Lisbon Monday to cash a check for $175, which she had received in payment for some timber. Williams came to town driving a horse belonging to Wm. Barton. The check was cashed Monday afternoon by Firestone Bros. and since that time nothing has been heard of the money or Williams.

The horse, which he drove to Lisbon, was left hitched at the public square all night and until 10 o'clock Tuesday when Wm. Barton came to the city and indentifying his rig, took it home with him. The police have been asked to take the matter up and the search for the missing man has begun. Williams came here from Pennsylvania early in the spring and obtained employment with Mrs. Allison. He was steady and apparently honest and soon gained the confidence of his employer.

MAN FOUND DEAD UNDER A CULVERT

Alliance, July 14.—John Morrisy, a partner with William Gusbeth conducting a saloon here, was found dead Tuesday at the bottom of the culvert on South avenue, the body being partly submerged in the water.

Examination revealed a severe gash upon the forehead, this blow evidently having been responsible for the death. The distance from the top of the culvert to the creek beneath is about 18 or 20 feet and it is the belief that the man fell from the top of the culvert. Appearances indicated that the man had laid in the water the greater part of the night. At the saloon it was learned that Morrisey had left about 8 o'clock and had been drinking heavily during the evening. Coroner March, of Canton, held an inquest about noon and announced a verdict of accidental death.

Mr. Morrisey was a son of Martin Morrisey, residing east of Hanoverton on the Dungannon road, and was about 38 years of age. He was formerly a brakeman and later a freight conductor on the C. & P. railroad and worked for a time on the L. E. A. & W. He engaged in the saloon business last spring.

A wife and five children survive the dead man, together with the [illegible] five brothers and one sister, as follows: Lawrence, of Phalanx; Mich[illegible] Frank and Miss Anna, still at the home at Hanoverton; Charles, a soldier in the regular army, and Jos[illegible] whose residence is unknown.

Funeral arrangements have not been announced.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT WHILE HANDLING GUN

Charles Greenawalt, aged 14, who is working on the farm of Mrs. Emma Zurbrugg, near Beech church three miles south of Sebring, was accidentally shot in the hand Sunday while handling a revolver.

The ball entered the palm of his hand and passed lengthwise up the arm, lodging near the elbow. Dr. Cobbs, of Damascus, was summoned, who, assisted by a physician from Salem, extracted the ball and dressed the wound. The ball was but a 22-calibre but the wound inflicted is an ugly one and will keep the lad from work for some time and may probably leave him with a crippled hand for life.

To Drill Near Salem.

An oil drilling outfit was unloaded at the Pennsylvania station Wednesday morning and hauled to the farm of Jacob Shoemaker, west of Salem, where a well will be put down in hopes of finding oil.

The people of the United States are the greatest users of the telephone.